

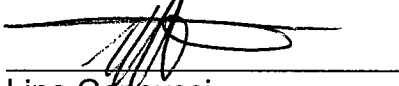
REMARKS / DISCUSSION OF ISSUES

Claims 1-3 and 8 are pending in the Application. Claim 8 is allowed.

Claims 1-3 are rejected under 35 USC 112, second paragraph. Claim 1 has been amended and Claims 1-3 are now in condition for allowance.

All outstanding issues having been resolved, Applicant(s) respectfully request(s) that the Examiner find the application in condition for allowance. If any points remain in issue that may best be resolved through a personal or telephonic interview, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,



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